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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

HONGTAO ZHAN, )  
Plaintiff, )  
v. )  
ALBERTO R. GONZALES, Attorney General )  
of the United States; MICHAEL CHERTOFF, )  
Secretary of the Department of Homeland )  
Security; EMILIO GONZALEZ, Director of )  
United States Citizenship and Immigration )  
Services; ROBERT MUELLER, Director of )  
the Federal Bureau of Investigations; )  
DAVID STILL, District Director of the )  
USCIS, San Francisco District Office, )  
Defendants. )

) No. C 06-3711 TEH

) **STIPULATION TO DISMISS AND**  
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|**[PROPOSED] ORDER**

Plaintiff, by and through his attorney of record, and Defendants, by and through their attorneys of record, hereby stipulate, subject to the approval of the Court, to dismissal of the above-entitled action without prejudice because the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services is now prepared to adjudicate Plaintiff's application for naturalization and agree to adjudicate such application within 30 days of the dismissal of this action.

Each of the parties shall bear their own costs and fees.

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Stip. to Dismiss  
C06-3711 TEH

1 Dated: June 22, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

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4 /s/  
5 ILA C. DEISS  
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8 Dated: June 22, 2006

9 /s/  
10 TRICIA WANG  
11 Attorney for Plaintiff

12 **ORDER**

13 Pursuant to stipulation, IT IS SO ORDERED.

14 Date: 6/23/06

